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### **PATENT APPLICATION**

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Filed: October 1, 2001	; )	
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Please amend the above-identified application as follows in response to the Official Action dated April 16, 2003:

#### **INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS**

This Amendment has been prepared in accordance with the Revised Format established by the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, as permitted in the Pre-OG Notice dated February 4, 2003, and entitled "Amendments in a Revised Format Now Permitted."



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Transmitted herewith is an Amendment After Final Rejection in the above-identified application.

X No additional fee is required.

The fee has been calculated as shown below:

			CLAIMS AS AME	ENDED		
	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
TOTAL CLAIMS	15	MINUS	26	= 0	x \$9 \$18	\$ 0.00
INDEP. CLAIMS	2	MINUS	4	= 0	x \$42 \$84	\$ 0.00
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	°Verified Statement claiming small entity status is enclosed, if not filed previously.
	A check in the amount of \$ is enclosed including the additional claims fees.
	Charge \$ to Deposit Account No. 06-1205. A duplicate of this sheet is enclosed.
X	Any prior general authorization to charge an issue fee under 37 CFR 1.18 to Deposit Account No. 06-1205 is hereby revoked. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required during the entire pendency of this application or to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 06-1205. A duplicate of this paper is enclosed.
	A check in the amount of \$ to cover the fee for a month extension is enclosed.
	A check in the amount of \$ to cover the Information Disclosure Statement fee is enclosed.
X	Applicant's undersigned attorney may be reached in our Washington, D.C. office by telephone at (202) 530-1010. All correspondence should be directed to our address given below.
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